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MEMORANDUM TO:

FROM: German Desk

SUBJECT: Harassment Operation

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1. You may be interested to note that reference cable (para 2) reporting on passive resistance in East Berlin states that faked phone calls to factories have created so much confusion that factories have now been forced to refuse to accept orders by phone. Source of this report is a CIC penetration agent located in the SED District Headquarters office, East Berlin; evaluation B-2.
2. Although origin of this harassment activity cannot be determined it sounds very much like a reflection of DTLINEN's activity. It is encouraging to observe that this type operation is effective in creating confusion and low morale in its targets.

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Can you find out if
this was a lines op?

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